

SIR WILLIAM SAMPSON.

(Chicago Times-Herald.)
When I was a lad with my strong right arm
I pulled up weeds on my father's farm;
I plowed, I sowed, and I mowed the hay
And I carried will to the pigs each day—
Oh, I carried the will so successful
That now I'm ruler of our great navel!

As a farmer boy I made such a hit
That they sent me to school, where I done bet-
ter yet;
I learned to read and I learned to write
And I earned my board doing chores at night—
I done the chores so admirably
That I'm Admiral now in our great navel!

I made my name such a powerful name
That a naval cadet I soon became;
I wore white shirts and I brushed my hair
And I soon had the other boys beaten there—
Oh, the rest were thrown in the shade by me,
And now I'm boss of our great navel.

I polished myself from tip to tip
And I cut a dash on our training ship;
I learned to dance and I learned to bow
And I forgot all about how to milk a cow—
I forgot my farming so thorough
That now I'm the hero of our great navel!

I grew so great that they picked me out
To bottle up and put the Dons to rout,
And I smashed their fleet on that glorious day,
Though I chanced to be a dozen miles away—
Yes all their ships were riddled by me—
I'm the only hero in our great navel!

Now sailors all, whoever you may be,
There are lines we must always draw, you see;
You must stick to your guns, you must stay
below,
For you haven't the right to presume, you
know—
Just stand at a distance and admire me,
The greatest thing in our navel!

S. E. KISER.

Like Ante-Bellum Times at Orange Springs.

The summer season is now in full
sway at the Springs. Bathing is ex-
cellent, and improvements are being
made in the way of seats for spectators
of the water sports.

E. B. George, of Montbrook, is stop-
ping at the Enicks House.
H. S. R. Verberger and Eugene
Rosenberger, of Kirkwood, are among
the summer visitors.

A party from Tallahassee, consisting of
F. C. Reese, C. M. Reese, occupying a
cottage facing Evergreen Park.

The following party from Haw-
thorne spent Friday at the Spring:
Newton Johnson, Misses Kittie, Izel,
fellow, Fannie Moore, Jessie W. Izel,
with W. E. Waits, Miss Marie (Chil-
ton), of Micanopy, and T. J. McMe-
kin, of Fernandina, were also with
the party. They had a pleasant day
out and returned by moonlight.

Mrs. Winifred Reynolds and three
children, of Fairfield, are occupying
apartments at the Globe House.

Dr. B. P. Wilson and son, of Reddick,
were here on Thursday. Dr. Wilson
delivered a lecture on anatomy and
physiology, to the normal institute.
He used a skeleton and made a very
clear exposition of the nervous sys-
tem.

The Methodist conference was held
here on Wednesday, and a number of
representatives from the churches
were present.

Rev. Mr. Hodges, of Citra, preached a
very forceful sermon, on Wednesday,
and the presiding elder, Rev. Mr.
Patterson, of Gainesville, conducted
the evening service.

The literary society held a very in-
teresting meeting on Friday night.
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Spring Park on the Upgrade.

Mrs. Helen Wallace and daughter,
Viola, who have been living with Mrs.
Wallace's son at New Decatur, Ala.,
since last March, have returned to the
Park, and are domiciled in their own
home.

Six families of white people and also
some colored moved to Silver Springs
last week, from the neighborhood of
Eureka, to assist in building a large
sawmill that is going to be erected at
once, near the terminus of the S. A.
L. railroad.

C. Sweet drove from Gaiter to meet
his wife, who has been on a visit to
her grandmother, Mrs. Moss, for the
past few weeks.

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Life at Fort McCoy.

Sheriff Nugent went to Daisy one day
last week and arrested two men by
the names of Clifton and Roberts, who

had been engaged in a cutting raffray.
Clifton was severely cut but it is
thought he will recover. He is Roberts
father-in-law.

M. N. Carter, of Eureka, has sold
his stock of goods to A. W. Hinson,
of this place. This move leaves only
three stores at Eureka.

The Lester Mill Company, of
Grove's Landing, commenced grading
its new railroad to Silver Springs last
week. It will be several months be-
fore the mill will start to work again.

Rev. H. C. Martin is making ar-
rangements to build a new dwelling
west of the church.

Miss Blanche Stevens celebrated her
sixteenth birthday by inviting all her
young friends to an ice cream supper
at the home of her parents.

Spice Wells cut his leg severely one
day last week while cutting cypress
timber in the river swamp.

Wm. Finn, of Lima O., obtained
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Griner Farm.

Special Correspondence of the Banner.

There is to be a basket picnic at this
place on August 16, and all are cor-
dially invited to attend and bring
well filled baskets.

Miss Agnes Luffmann returned Sun-
day from Sparr where she has been
visiting relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. Hullum Jones is visiting his
sister at Palmetto for a month.

Our old-time neighbor and friend,
Mr. S. Crowley, of Apopka, was here
last week.

Mr. Warren Williams, of Daisy, is
visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lee Priest,
a few days.

Mrs. B. H. Leitner has returned
home, after a short visit to Clear-
water.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Luffmann spent
Sunday with their son, Mr. James
Luffmann, at Sparr.

Mr. C. M. Murphey's little daugh-
ter, Edna, was kicked by a horse one
day last week, but was not seriously
hurt.

Our Sunday school is steadily im-
proving, but some of the boys still
like "dog hunting." JUDIE.

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Shiloh.

Special Correspondence Ocala Banner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Geiger made a
flying trip to Gainesville last week.

Quite a number of Shiloh people
attended the picnic at Flemington
and report a jolly good time.

Messrs. Sam Neil and Palm Rattle-
tree were pleasant callers in the west
end Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. W. Geiger and children
left Tuesday for Fellowship where
she will spend two weeks with her
parents.

Master Albert Zetrouer has been
quite sick. NICK.

A. H. Davis, Mt. Sterling, Ia., writes:
"I was troubled with kidney com-
plaint for about two years, but two
one dollar bottles of Foley's Kidney
Cure effected a permanent cure." Anti-Monopoly Drug Store.

Movement of Citra People.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wyckoff and
children left for an extended trip
through Michigan and the west. They
will visit the Pan-American on their
return.

J. F. Harrison and E. L. Wartmann
are in Ocala on business.

Mrs. E. A. White and Rev. H. A.
Hodges left Monday for White Springs.
Mrs. White will continue her trip to
Mont Eagle, where she will spend the
summer.

Miss M. E. Ervin is visiting Mrs. S.
E. Glover in Jacksonville for a few
days, before going to the southern
chautauqua at Mont Eagle.

Capt. W. A. Shaw, who has been
navigating the St. John's river for
the past thirty years, says that the
cypress trees are dying. The foliage
is dead and as red as in the winter
season. Some parties thought they
had been girdled and killed intention-
ally, but there are no evidences
of this method of destruction. The
matter should be investigated.

Prescriptions—Postoffice Drug Store.

Plans have been completed for the
erection of a memorial hall at the
West Florida Seminary, now known
as the Florida State College, in mem-
ory of the late Judge James D. West-
cott, of the Florida supreme bench, by
whose munificence the college is the
residential legate of nearly \$60,000.

The building belonging to Joe Jeff-
erson at West Palm Beach is nearing
completion and is a very handsome
structure. No man is better known
than the author of Rip Van Winkle.
It is this class of men who are falling
in love with Florida and becoming its
adopted citizens.

If the Little Ones Were in Line.

"It will probably startle a good
many persons to find, on the author-
ity of a well known statistician,"
says the Medical Counsellor, an
American paper, "that, could the in-
fants of a year be ranged in a line, in
cradles, the cradles would extend
round the globe. The same writer
looks at the matter in a more pictur-
esque light. He imagines the babies
being carried past a given point in
their mothers' arms, one by one, and
the procession being kept up night
and day until the last hour in the
twelve months had passed by. A suf-
ficient liberal rate is allowed, but
even in the going past at the rate of
twenty a minute, 1200 an hour during
the entire year, the reviewer at his
post would only have seen a sixth
part of the infantile host. In other
words, the babe that had to be car-
ried when the tramp began would be
able to walk when but a mere fraction
of its comrades had reached the re-
viewer's post, and when the year's
supply of babies was drawing to a
close there would be a rearguard, not
of infants, but of romping six-year-
old boys and girls."

Lots of persons who talk a great
deal don't say anything—likewise
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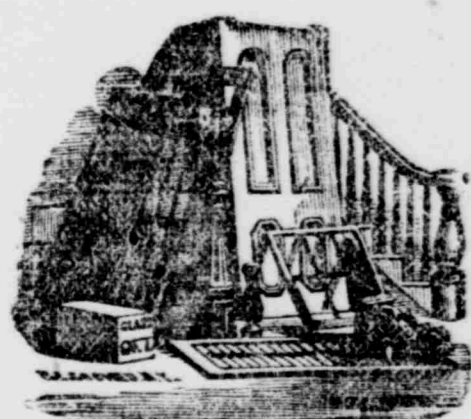
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